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STATE'S 9-1-1 CENTER EMPLOYEES TO BE HONORED SEPTEMBER 15th

***Day of Celebration* at Jarrettsville VFD organized by Emergency Number Systems Board**

TOWSON, MD (September 8, 2004)---9-1-1 center employees from all 23 Maryland counties and Baltimore City will be honored on September 15th, during the second annual *9-1-1 Day of Celebration*. This year's event will be held at the Jarrettsville Volunteer Fire Department in Harford County.

The day-long event includes a briefing on the wireless phase two call-tracking technology and a "stress under the headset" training class, and culminates with one person from each of the state's twenty-four 9-1-1 centers receiving an award as the "Telecommunicator of the Year."

The event is co-sponsored by the Emergency Number Systems Board, the unit of the Maryland Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services responsible for enhancing and funding 9-1-1 centers in Baltimore and all 23 counties in the state.

Wednesday, September 15th

Jarrettsville Volunteer Fire Dept. at 3825 Federal Hill Rd. (route 165)

Highlights:	10 a.m.—noon	"Stress Under the Headsets" training
	1:30 p.m.	awards presentation
	2:30—3:30 p.m.	wireless phase II presentation

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